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For (Title):

OXIDE SUPERCONDUCTOR THICK FILM AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING

THE SAME

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for front page of Publication. Use Figure A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.

This application claims benefit of Provisional Application No. _____filed___(A Preliminary Amendment is attached to reflect this claim in the Specification if not already present.) X

This patent application is assigned to DOWA Mining Co., Ltd. and Central Research Institute of Electric Power Industry. The executed Assignment is filed herewith.

An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.

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Priority of foreign application No. 2002-254309 filed <u>December 5, 2002</u> in <u>Japan</u> is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.

This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another

country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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BASIC FEE				\$ 375	<u>OR</u>		s 750
TOTAL CLAIMS	2 - 20	= 0	x 9=	s	<u>OR</u>	x 18	s
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3	= 0	x 42 =	s	<u>OR</u>	x 84	\$
MULTIPLE DEP	+ 140 =	s	<u>OR</u>	+ 280	s		
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